

Claims

1. A gas bag module comprising a gas generator (16) and a module housing (14),

said gas generator (16) having a generator flange (22), which is provided with first
5 hook-shaped fastening elements (24) of sheet metal for fastening said gas bag
module (12) to a steering wheel (10),

and second fastening elements (30; 30'; 30'') for fastening said gas generator (16)
to said module housing (14).
2. The gas bag module according to Claim 1, characterized in that said first
10 and second fastening elements (24; 30; 30'; 30'') are punched out or cut out from
sheet metal.
3. The gas bag module according to Claim 1, characterized in that said
second fastening elements (30; 30'; 30'') are formed on said first fastening
elements (24).
- 15 4. The gas bag module according to Claim 3, characterized in that said
second fastening elements (30') are each formed by a recess (32) in said first
fastening elements (24).
5. The gas bag module according to Claim 1, characterized in that said
second fastening elements (30') are connected with said module housing (14) by a
20 wedge/clamping connection (32, 34).
6. The gas bag module according to Claim 1, characterized in that said
second fastening elements (30) are constructed as sheet metal sections and are
connected with said module housing (14) by crimping.
7. The gas bag module according to Claim 1, characterized in that said
25 second fastening elements (30'') are connected with said module housing (14) by
means of at least one safety clip (36).

8. The gas bag module according to Claim 1, characterized in that said second fastening elements are connected with said module housing by a press fit.

9. The gas bag module according to Claim 1, characterized in that an inflation opening of a gas bag (18) arranged in said module housing (14) is
5 fastened to said module housing (14) by said generator flange (22).

10. The gas bag module according to Claim 1, characterized in that said fastening elements (24, 30, 30', 30'') are provided on strip-shaped lateral extensions of said generator flange, said extensions being bent over axially in a direction towards a base (15) of said module housing.